age of 5 years and Iron & Folic Acid Supplementation for preschool children, pregnant and lactating women.

(Ministry of Health & Family Welfare);

(vi) National Iodine Deficiency Disorders Control Programme (Ministry of Health and Family Welfare);

(vii) Targeted Public Distribution System (Department of Food & Public Distribution);

(viii) Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme/Swajaldhara and Total Sanitation Campaign, National Rural Employment Guarantee Programme (Ministry of Rural Development).

Funds to Bihar under RGGVY

*75. SHRI RAJNITI PRASAD: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the details of funds being made available to Bihar under Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana (RGGVY) during the last two financial years;

(b) the utilization percentage of the allocated amount;

(c) whether the utilization of the funds is according to the Scheme as envisaged in the Budget; and

(d) how many villages are yet to be covered under the Scheme and what is the time-frame for this?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SHINDE): (a) The year-wise details of funds availed by Bihar Government under RGGVY during last two fiscal years are given in Statement-I (*See* below).

(b) and (c) Funds under RGGVY are released in instalments commensurate with the progress reported and on certification by the State Government/Implementing Agencies that 80% of the funds already disbursed have since been utilized. RGGVY has not envisaged State-wise/year-wise budgetary allocation for its implementation.

(d) As reported by CEA, there were 18395 un-electrified villages as on 31.12.2007. Bihar Government/Implementing Agencies in the State have envisaged electrification of 12026 un-electrified villages, re-electrification of 8105 de-electrified villages besides intensive electrification of 908 already electrified villages in 31 projects sanctioned so far under RGGVY, as per the details given in Statement-II (*See* below). These projects are under various stages of implementation. Balance 12 no. of projects covering 8823 no. of villages to be electrified are under scrutiny for sanction Statement-III (*See* below).

RGGVY, launched in April, 2005 aims at providing access of electricity to all the rural households in the country including Bihar within five years.

Statement—I

Year-wise release of funds to Bihar under RGGVY

Sl. No.	Year	Amount released (Rs. in crores)
1.	2005-06	181.74
2.	2006-07	470.14

Statement—II

Details of Projects Sanctioned under RGGVY for Bihar

Sl. No.	Name of State & District (s)	Name of Implementing Agency	Villages covered for household electrification unnder the project				Habitations covered for household electrification under the project			Total No. of households to be provided access to electricity (Incl. BPL)	Total No. of connections proposed to be released to rural households (Incl. BPL HH)	No. of BPL HHs to be electrified under the project	Revised project cost due to enhanced BPL cost and agency charges
			No. of un-electrified villages	No. of deelectrified villages	No. of electrified villages	Total No. of villages covered for household electrifi-cation	No. of un-electrified habitations to be electrified for household electrification	No. of electrified habitations covered for electrifi-cation	Total No. of habitations covered under the project				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
(A) Sanctioned during Tenth plan													
1.	Araria	PGCIL	300	293	—	593	593	—	593	37433	37433	37433	6253.60
2.	Aurangabad	PGCIL	433	806	—	1239	1239	—	1239	43050	43050	43050	10932.67
3.	Banka	PGCIL	753	655	—	1408	1408	—	1408	43805	43805	43805	10629.38
4.	Bhagalpur	PGCIL	419	179	—	598	598	—	598	30459	30459	30459	6066.24
5.	Buxar	PGCIL	151	365	—	516	516	—	516	18293	18293	18293	4384.42
6.	Gopalganj	PGCIL	370	381	—	751	751	—	751	28409	28409	28409	6700.35
7.	Jamui	PGCIl	976	96	—	1072	1072	—	1072	30067	30067	30067	8538.11
8.	Kaimur	PGCIl	322	163	—	485	485	—	485	13794	13794	13794	4411.33
9.	Kishanganj	PGCIL	520	44	—	564	564	—	564	25725	25725	25725	5280.52
10.	Lakhisarai	PGCIL	110	65	—	175	175	—	175	7166	7166	7166	1688.28
11.	Munger	PGCIl	123	78	—	201	201	—	201	7855	7885	7885	2030.02
12.	Patna	PGCIL	108	361	—	469	469	—	469	22362	22362	22362	5121.59
13.	Purnia	PGCIL	382	201	—	583	583	—	583	25563	25563	25563	5235.25
14.	Rohtas	PGCIL	398	584	—	982	982	—	982	36398	36398	36398	7996.70
15	Saran	PGCIL	291	634	—	925	925	—	925	39644	39644	39644	8284.48
16	Siwan	PGCIL	472	354	—	826	826	—	826	34417	34417	34417	7131.06
17.	Bhojpur	PGCIL	591	—	—	591	591	—	591	25761	25761	25761	5206.99
18.	Nawada	PGCIL	613	—	—	613	613	—	613	27049	27049	27049	5579.78
19.	Gaya (North)	PGCIL	1063	—	—	1063	1063	—	1063	41429	41429	41429	8730.08

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
20.	Gaya (South)	PGCIL	996	—	—	996	996	—	996	33201	33201	33201	7864.02
21	Nalanda	PGCIL	609	—	—	609	609	—	609	29122	29122	29122	5652.92
22.	Darbhanga	NHPC	101	271	—	372	372	—	372	63288	63288	63288	3230.87
23.	East Champaran	NHPC	449	295	—	744	744	—	744	72769	72769	72769	5882.60
24.	Madhubani	NHPC	16	310	—	326	326	—	326	48077	48077	48077	2963.80
25.	Sheohar	NHPC	62	57	—	119	119	—	119	16639	16639	16639	1083.85
26.	Sitamarhi	NHPC	183	122	—	305	305	—	305	41694	41694	41694	2701.58
	Sub-Total (A)		10811	6314	0	17125	17125	0	17125	843469	843499	843499	149580.49
(B) Sanctioned during Eleventh plan													
1.	Jahanabad and Arwal (2 districts)	POWERGRID	26	514	—	540	540	—	540	23953	23953	23953	4839.13
2.	West Champaran	NHPC	392	524	374	1290	2686	580	3266	475834	475834	178284	16536.81
3.	Sheikhpura	BSEB	34	128	106	268	16	5	21	60738	60738	30538	2932.77
4.	Supaul	BSEB	153	204	169	526	921	176	1097	268168	268168	80681	8163.40
5.	Katihar	BSEB	610	421	259	1290	234	94	328	408659	408659	142350	18720.95
6.	Sub-Total (B)		1215	1791	908	3914	4397	855	5252	1237352	1237352	455806	51193.06
	Total (A + B)		12026	8105	908	21039	21522	855	22377	2080821	2080851	1299305	200773.55

Statement—III

Details of Projects under Scruting for sanction

Sl. No.	State/District	Impl. agency	Vill. covered for H/H Electrification			Connections to Rural Households (nos.)	Free connections to BPL H/Hs (nos.)	Estimated Cost (Rs. Lakh)
			Un-Electrified Villages (nos.)	Electrified Villages (nos.)	Total Vill. (nos.)			
1.	Madhepura	BSEB	234	147	381	233305	75084	6038.78
2.	Saharsa	BSEB	267	174	441	202101	72996	6812.58
3.	Muzzaffarpur	PGCIL	591	1205	1796	313822	313822	23088.06
4.	Vaishali	PGCIL	635	934	1569	152915	152915	19050.79
5.	Khagaria	BSEB	133	108	241	108458	36671	3788.45
6.	Begusarai	BSEB	387	341	728	348314	90912	11067.04
7.	Samastipur	BSEB	455	658	1113	494274	73332	15703.83
8.	Dharbangha (sup.)	NHPC	290	419	709	297720	135621	10690.06
9.	*Madhubani (sup.)*	NHPC	248	459	707	338703	165563	11802.51
10.	Seohar (sup.)	NHPC	54	52	106	49937	33507	2323.14
11.	Sitamarhi (sup.)	NHPC	245	252	497	211425	152735	12760.36
12.	East Champaran (sup.)	NHPC	96	439	535	207773	192079	12384.89
	Sub-Total		3635	5188	8823	2958747	1495237	135510.50